Cystic Fibrosis

* Dorothy Hansine Anderson discovered CF in-between the years of 1938 and 1949 in the lab at Columbia University

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* CF affects both males and females, but there is a slight gap in which males are more affected

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* CF is autosomal recessive. If both parents have the faulty gene the child will inherit them and have cystic fibrosis. There is a 25% chance of this.

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* 1 in every 4000 children are born with CF